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NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD REGARDING AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT AN AIR POLLUTION-EMITTING SOURCE

<u>SUBJECT:</u> Proposed permit to construct an air pollution-emitting source and proposed action. Application No.P-060100: Norm's Utility Contractor, Inc., Coeur d'Alene, whose nature of business is the production of hot-mix asphalt has applied for a permit to construct a portable hot-mix asphalt plant.

PURPOSE: The Department of Environmental Quality has scheduled a period to receive public comments under Docket No. 10AP-0602 concerning the air quality aspects of the project application and the proposed action.

<u>AUTHORITY:</u> In compliance with Section 58.01.01.209, <u>Rules for the Control of Air Pollution in Idaho</u>, notice is hereby given that Norm's Utility Contractor, Inc., Coeur d'Alene, Idaho has applied to the Department for a permit to construct an air pollution source located at 8976 West Wyoming Avenue, Rathdrum, Idaho. Notice is also given that a period for public comment has been scheduled. These actions are authorized pursuant to Sections 39-105(3)(a), 39-105(3)(j), 39-110, 39-115(1), Idaho Code.

PROPOSED ACTION: The Department has reviewed the application and completed a preliminary analysis of the information submitted by the applicant. The Department has tentatively determined that construction of the proposed permit to construct will not cause or significantly contribute to a violation of any ambient air quality standard and will not injure or unreasonably affect human or animal life or vegetation.

Based on this analysis, the Department proposes to issue a permit to construct to Norm's Utility Contractor, Inc.

AVAILABILITY OF MATERIALS: A package containing the information submitted by the applicant, the Department's analysis, and the proposed action is available for public review at the following locations:

DEQ State Office DEQ Regional Office Rathdrum Branch, Kootenai County Library

1410 N. Hilton 2110 Ironwood Parkway 1652 Hwy 41 Boise, ID Coeur d'Alene, ID Rathdrum, ID

SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS, ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL

QUESTIONS: Anyone may submit written comment regarding the project and proposed action. To be most effective, comments should address air quality considerations and include support materials where available. Comments, requests, and questions regarding the public comment process should be directed to Joan Lechtenberg, Department of Environmental Quality, 1410 N. Hilton, Boise, ID 83706-1255, Joan.Lechtenberg@deq.idaho.gov, or (208) 373-0234. Please reference the company name and docket number when sending comments or requesting information.

For technical assistance on questions concerning this project or the permitting process, please contact Bill Rogers at (208) 373-0502 or William.Rogers@deq.idaho.gov.

All written comments and data concerning this proposal must be directed to and <u>received</u> by the undersigned on or before 5:00 p.m. MDT, April 24, 2006.

DATED this 23rd day of March 2006.

Joan Lechtenberg
Air Quality Division